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In re Patent Application of:
Michael D. Hillman et al.

Application No.: 10/764,901

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Examiner: Blair M. Johnson

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO MAY 24, 2007 NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is being submitted in response to the Office action dated May 24, 2007. Applicant hereby requests a three-month extension of time to respond to the Office action. This response is therefore timely filed within the extended period of response as the extended deadline for responding fell on a day in which the Patent Office was closed (Saturday, November 24, 2007), and the response is being filed on the next day in which the Patent Office is open for business. See M.P.E.P. §706.07(f). This response is accompanied by a Petition for a Three-Month Extension of Time and the requisite petition fee in the amount of \$1,050.00 charged to the undersigned's deposit account. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the application in view of the following remarks.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.